

Justice Robert H. Terrell left the city for New York, where he spoke last night.

Attorney James A. Cobb, Congressman Bennett, Gilchrist Stewart addressed a large meeting in New York city Monday night. Attorney J. D. Wetmore presided.

Don't forget the Japanese Operetta at True Reformers' Hall, November 18th.

Mrs. E. L. Williams has returned to this city after a pleasant visit to her sister, Mrs. Lizzie Rodgers in Virginia.

Mr. D. W. Thomas has gone to visit his son, Mr. Charles Thomas, in Cincinnati, Ohio.

The Voss Club will give its first complimentary ball November 2nd. This ball will be followed by others December 31, Friday February 5th, Friday March 5th and Friday April 2nd. Mr. L. K. Chambers, President, Thomas M. Byrd Vice President, and Herbert J. Robinson Treasurer.

Mr. A. D. Watson, who has been quite ill for several weeks is able to be out again, greatly to the gratification of his many friends.

Mr. Geo. W. Robain will lecture at the 19th street Baptist Church, Friday evening November 6th. Mr. Robain is being brought forward by Mr. A. D. Watson who need no introduction to the public of this city.

Dr. George W. Moore, a graduate from the Medical Department of Howard University, is now practising in Roanoke, Va.

Miss Lucy McGuinn, has returned from New York City where she has been visiting friends.

Miss Lenora Winfield, who has been the guest of Miss Marion Scott, has returned to her home in West Medford, Mass., much pleased with Washington and its people, regretting only that she was not able to return all of the calls from friends on account of the recent illness of her friend, Miss Scott.

Miss Marion T. Scott of 903 9th St., N. W., entertained a large number of friends at a reception, given for her guest Miss Lenora Winfield, of West Medford, Mass., Wednesday evening October 14. There were about 110 guests present. Everybody seemed happy and enjoyed themselves till a late hour. There was piano and string music in attendance.

Miss Flossie Hunt, who has been visiting friends in Chicago and New York, has returned home much pleased with her trip.

Mr. George S. Contee, formerly of this city, now of Denver, Col., left this week for his home in the West, after a most enjoyable stay with his distinguished mother.

Mr. Contee was entertained at a smoker last week, and other social functions were tendered him.

Miss Henrietta Vinton Davis, the well known elocutionist, will appear at the Metropolitan Church, Friday evening November 13th. Don't fail to hear her.

IT'S A DAUGHTER.

Attorney J. Douglas Wetmore, and wife announced the birth of a daughter, Wednesday, October 8th, at 9:10 a. m., Hellen Mable; weight ten pounds.

Mr. and Mrs. Wetmore will please accept the congratulations of the Bee.

COMEDY "NO MEN ALLOWED."

This comedy written by a young lady well known in our public school circle, to have been produced at the True Reformers' Hall on the 2nd of November, under the patronage of the Woman's Guild of St. Luke's P. E. Church, it is said, will be postponed until further notice. It was found that the persons having the comedy in charge were unable to produce it satisfactorily at the date fixed for the entertainment.

READ THE BEE

THE WOMAN'S DAY. MRS. JONES PRESIDES WITH DIGNITY.

The Woman's Day Exercises which was celebrated unday evening Oct. 18th inst, at the Metropolitan A. M. E. Zion Church, D St. between 2nd and 3rd Sts., S. W., under the auspices of the Woman's Home and Foreign Missionary Society of that Church was a success in every particular.

Mrs. Lizzie Scott Jones, the President of the Society, and who acted as mistress of ceremonies, presided with her usual amount of dignity, and the programme which was very elaborate was carried out with great satisfaction to all present. The pastor, Rev. W. A. Ray, D.D., preached a very touching and interesting sermon, defining the work of Missionaries; he used for his subject: "The world for Jesus." Solos were rendered by Mrs. Jennie Shelton, a member of the choir and also of the Society, and Mrs. Georgie Mackall Robinson. Papers were read by Miss Katie J. West, of Galbraith A. M. E. Zion church, and Mrs. Wm. B. Harris, of the 19th st. Baptist Church; the subject of Miss West's paper was "Woman" which was a good paper, Mrs. Harris reading one on "Missionary work, etc." Mrs. M. C. Beckett of St Paul's A. M. E. Church made a fine talk on the work of Missions. One of the most interesting features of the evening was a visit and short but very interesting address by Mr. Louis P. Shoemaker, a member of the Board of Charities and a leader of the anti-Saloon League, who was present by invitation.

Mr. Shoemaker commented highly upon the work of the women and especially upon the impression made upon him at the above meeting; he said among other things that, he was pleased with the success the Society is making with all nations, and the activity of our race. He said that, the more Christians we have the less use we will have for Jails, Work-houses, and Police Officers.

Mrs. Jones was the recipient of many congratulations upon the success of the Society. The offering was \$25.00.

BUSINESS BARGAINS.

If you want first class goods in furniture go to Grogan, and House and Heinman's.

If you want a first class hat, call and see Mr. Brodt, 419 7th., and 503 9th streets, northwest.

Go to Emich's Market if you want first class meats.

A NOTED AUTHOR PROMOTED.

Mr. John H. Paynter, an efficient clerk in the office of the Commissioner of Internal Revenue, has been promoted from \$1,000 to \$1,200 per annum, to take effect at once. Mr. Paynter hails from Colorado. He is an author and journalist of national repute. The promotion comes as a reward for his meritorious service, but happens at a time when it will have a vital effect upon the colored Republicans of the Far West, among which Mr. is deservedly popular by reason of his genial fellowship and widely circulated literary productions. His "Joining the Navy" is regarded highly by the best critics, and he has in preparation a new book dealing with an interesting phase of folk-life in the South.

Colorado, Kansas, Nebraska, and California will feel the invigorating impulse growing out of the promotion of so useful a young man. The happy result came through the influence of Mr. Ralph W. Tyler, the race-loving Auditor for the Navy Department. He has come to know as the Negro's special member of Congress, and has broken all records in helping worthy colored men to desirable promotions, appointments and transfers.

ASKS COLORED MEN TO VOTE FOR TAFT.

Dr. J. E. Shepard of North Carolina Pleads With Race to Remain Republican.

CENSURES BRYAN'S ADVISERS Points Out Danger in Democratic Demagogues Who Thrive on Prejudice.

From the Indianapolis, Indiana Star. Dr. James E. Shepard of North Carolina, one of the most distinguished colored men in the United States and formerly superintendent of the work among his race for the International Sunday School Association, is in the city. In discussing the political situation he said:

"This election means more to the colored man than appears on the surface. I concede to every man the right to cast his ballot as he thinks best for himself, his family and his country, but this should be done after careful and mature thought and should not be governed by mere sentiment nor passion.

"I was opposed to the nomination of William H. Taft prior to the national campaign and favored the nomination of Vice President Fairbanks. I regarded Mr. Fairbanks as the most logical candidate and representing those views that would give the country the greatest rest. But a regular national convention decided otherwise.

"I am not a politician, nor do I ever expect to be an officeholder, but I am interested in the welfare of my race and country. After a careful consideration and in this, my first public utterance, I am convinced the success of the national Republican ticket will be best for the country at large, and the colored man in particular."

Gives Reasons for Support.

"My reasons for these conclusions are summed up as follows: Whatever may be Mr. Bryan's personal views concerning the status of the colored man in America, his closest political advisers, men like Tillman, Vardaman, Heflin, and Governor Hoke Smith, believe in disfranchisement of the colored man; believe in "Jim Crow" cars and the most humiliating treatment in public conveyances, where all pay the same fare; believe in insulting colored women; believe in a four months' school system; believe in lynchings, burnings and the shotgun policy, and this, too, not for the colored one who is guilty of crime, but for the one who respects the law, seeks to give his children education and acquire property. This can be amply proved by the recent outrages near Albany, Ga., where the homes, school houses and churches of inoffensive persons were burned. The only thing charged against them was that they believed in doing the best thing they could and obeying the law. Instead of Governor Hoke Smith seeking to punish these outrageous criminals he has left the state, carrying his message of prejudice and hate in other states. With such men close to Mr. Bryan and in power what can the colored man hope from the success of Mr. Bryan and the Democratic party?

"You ask about Brownsville. I do not uphold the act of the President in discharging, without ample proof, the soldiers who have never faltered on the field of battle, but always responded to their country's call. Mr. Roosevelt's act was the act of one man, acting as he saw fit, and was not the act of the Republican party, nor do I believe the act was approved by Mr. Taft. The evidence is all to the contrary, but he had to carry out the orders of his superior.

Continue Fight in Ranks.

"Now, will it not be better for the colored voters of the country to continue their fight within the ranks of the party, rather than seek to put in another party whose record is opposed to colored soldiers entirely? Congressman Slayden of Texas, and Senator Overman of North Carolina, both introduced bills in the last Congress directing the discharge of all Negro soldiers and forbidding farther enlistment. Senator Foraker's bill for their reinstatement has not finally been acted upon, and I firmly believe that when Congress meets again the whole matter will be settled in a way satisfactory to all.

"The success of the Republican party means more to the laboring man white or colored, than it does to any other class. Ninety per cent of colored voters are laborers and must depend upon their daily toil for the education of their children and the support of their families. With the cessation of work will come panics and starvation. Can we afford it? "You ask what about the recent

Know the Future

Madame Louisa, Scientific Astrologer, Physiologist, and Palmist has just arrived from British West India Island, and is now located at 801 East Capital St., cor 8th St. For one month (from present date, Oct. 18th.) aside from a reliable reading I will answer three questions for 25 cents. Office hours 9 a. m., to 9 p. m. Madame transacts no business on Sunday.

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panic? I certainly would rather see a Republican panic than a Democratic one. During this panic, which most largely affected the rich, we have seen no empty dinner pails, no starving children, and no Coxey's army marching upon Washington. God forbid that this country should ever see another panic like the one under President Cleveland.

"You ask, are not some of the Southern Democrats favorable to the colored man? Emphatically, I answer yes, but unfortunately this class, which is growing daily, is out numbered by the Democrats of the Hoke Smith - Tillman - Vardaman - Heflin class. Demagogues who thrive on prejudice and hypocrisy. It is this class which would be in the ascendancy in the event of the election of Mr. Bryan. The old saying of Fred Douglass, "The Republican party is the ship, all else the sea," is more true now than when it was uttered, and unless the colored man abide in the ship he cannot be saved. I deplore the short-sighted policy of those who are advising a contrary course.

"One word, please, about prohibition. If any class of people in the world should be temperate it is the colored man. In my own county in North Carolina, where we have prohibition, the people are happy and thriving and have more wealth than in any other county in the state—and in no part of the Union is there a better spirit between the races."

GREAT EXCITEMENT CHURCH OFFICERS DISAGREE.

The was much excitement created at Union Wesley A. M. E. Zion church, Monday evening October 26th. Mr. J. C. Overton had published a prize debate of a political character to take place Monday night, and the trustees of the church had published a concert to take place in the lower part of the church.

On the arrival of Mr. Overton at the church, he found about three or four hundred people on the outside of the church, barred from entering the church where the prize debate was to take place, and the church dark. Mr. Overton made his way to the trustees room and declared that it was a case of jealousy on the part of the trustees.

Finding that he was not permitted to proceed with his prize debate he called it off. The people demanded to know the cause, but the trustees who were stationed at the door were insulting and refused to give any satisfaction.

The proceeds of the debate were for the benefit of the church, but the officers didn't seem to appreciate the past and present good services of Mr. Overton who has always taken an active part in church work and especially the work in the Union Wesley church.

The prize debate advertised by Mr. Overton seemed to draw the crowd away from the old folk's concert, this of course made the trustees jealous

Women's Guild St. Luke's P. E Church

COMEDY.

"NO MEN ALLOWED."

Under the auspices of the Woman's Guild of St. Luke's P. E. Church. Monday evening November 2nd, 1908, at True Reformers Hall. The comedy will last one hour, beginning at 8 o'clock sharp. After which orchestral music by the Metropolitan Orchestra. Admission 25 cents.

COLORED YOUNG WOMEN'S CHRISTIAN ASSOCIATION LITTLE PEOPLE

In a Japanese Operetta, "Prince Chrysanthemum," under the auspices of the Building Fund Committee, Wednesday Evening, November 18th, 1908, at True Reformers' Hall, Twelfth and You Streets Northwest, at eight o'clock p.m.

An effort toward securing a permanent home for the Association. All help us.

Admission - - 35 cts.

A RARE TREAT.

Come and hear the great wonder lecture on "Morals, MR. GEORGE W. RABAIN.

Subject "What It Is to Live."

In a view of simplicity; but its greatness in meaning, At the Nineteenth Street Baptist Church corner of 19th and I streets, N. W., Friday evening, November 6, 1908, at 8 p.m.: Rev. Walter H. Brooks, D.D., pastor. Proceeds for benefit of Parsonage Fund. E. J. Morton, chairman of Trustee Board.

A very helpful lecture to educators, to which they are specially invited.

The Choir will render a special program, from 8 to 8.30; solos, duets and quartets.

Lady Ushers—Miss Julia Brooks, chairman.

Refreshment Table — Mrs. Susan Goodrich, Chairman.

A. D. Watson, manager.

Admission, 15 cents.

ALL STAR RECITAL.

Miss Henrietta Vinton Davis, Unexcelled Dramatic Impresario and Elocutionist, assisted by Eminent Musical Talent, at the Metropolitan A. M. E. Church, M St., bet. 15th and 16th Sts., nw., Rev. J. H. Welch, D.D. pastor; Friday evening Nov. 13th, 1908. Auspices Club No. 6, Mrs. Hattie Gray and Club No. 29, Mr. J. W. Wright. Admission 25 Cents.

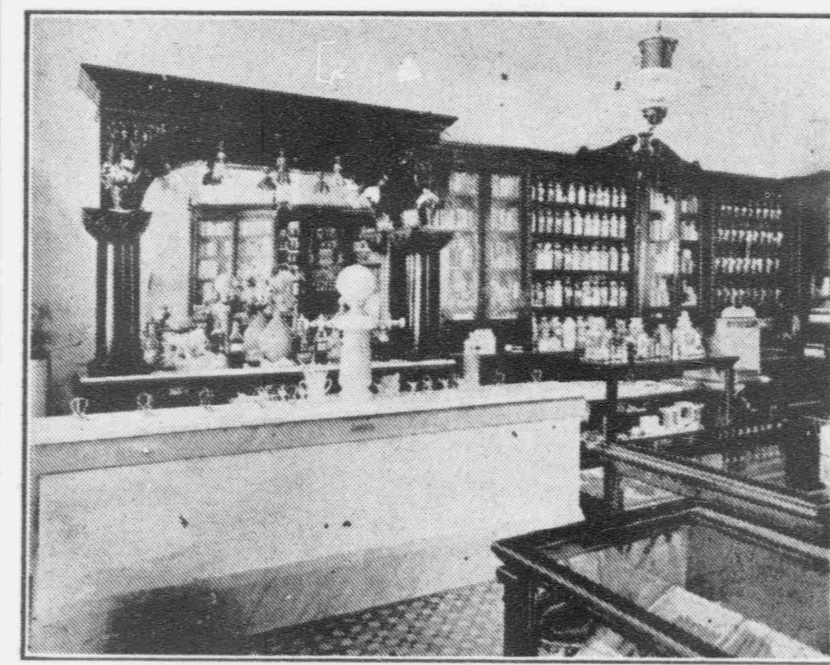
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He wishes to announce that he is newly supplied with a guaranteed stock of drugs and medicines, of unlimited strength and purity, to meet the demands of the public. The management in charge of this drug store

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and angry.

Manager Overton threatens to handle the church officers in a different manner. The following was the program that was to have been carried Monday night but was prevented by the trustees.

"Subject: Resolved that the Negro should support Taft in the coming election." Aff. L. D. Grose and H. Hargrave, Neg. H. L. Scott and W. A. Love.

Bishop J. W. Smith, D.D., the presiding Bishop of the Phila. and Baltimore Conference will introduce the Master of Ceremonies, Prof. J. M. Lightfoot, of Howard University. Judges, Dr. S. L. Corrothers, Dr. C. C. Alleyne and Dr. W. H. Ferguson.

The program will be interspersed with special music by Livingstone College Quartette, of Salisbury, N. C.

Cornet solo and other choice music. Proceeds for \$1000 rally for above named church.

MR. ELMER DOVER.

The Bee congratulates Hon. Elmer Dover for the successful campaign he made among colored Republicans in the State of Ohio. The Bee stated three months ago that Mr. Dover was the man to keep as secretary of the National Committee because he had more influence with the colored voters than any other man on the Committee. The colored voters of the country have faith in him and they will follow him, Mr. Foraker to the contrary notwithstanding.

MR. JONES IN MARYLAND.

Attorney Thomas L. Jones left the city Wednesday evening for Maryland, where he will remain until after the campaign.